

Kansas



Capital: Topeka

Area: 82,282 sq. miles (15th)

Population: 2,924,000 (35th)

Date of Union Entry: 1/29/1861 (35th state)

State Bird: Western Meadowlark

State Flower: Sunflower

State Tree: Cottonwood

Highest Point: Mt. Sunflower – 4,039 feet

Motto: To the Stars through Difficulties